

## Country Club To Be Rehabilitated Under New Policy

New Year's Eve Dance With All The Trimmings Planned

"The flood of '47," undoubtedly will be a historical landmark for the Country Club of the Everglades for it marks the high level of water on the course, and the low level in the financial structure.

Build during the heyday of the local club, with its golf course by Dick Wilson, and a club house with dance hall, has been the joy of local golfers and source of many social functions. Flooded conditions on the course and the waning incomes of its patrons in '46 followed by the "flood of '47" brought the status of its physical and financial assets to a low ebb.

Typical of the Glades recuperative powers and the aggressive citizenry, the till has been replenished and work has already begun on the green, the dike to keep off the water, and the clubhouse, with the creditors, both open and those legally forfeited.

A New Year's dance in the clubhouse on the 31st has been suggested, adding to the green has been begun; rehabilitation of the clubhouse has been begun; and the dike will be put in shape to keep out the water with the help of the diesel operated pump already in.

All memberships have expired—due to overcost of water—so that former members and prospective members will find a welcome on New Year's Eve. Especially newcomers to the community and friends from neighboring communities. These annual affairs are formal to the extent of propriety, friendly as the clubhouse, and the floor is inviting to the urge of perspicacious display and the orchestra that will be provided plays enticingly—and plays.

## Salvation Army To Be Santa For Glades Area

The Salvation Army, from headquarters in West Palm Beach will again be the "Santa Clause" to the needy of the Glades area. The Army with the aid of the Welfare Department will bring out provisions and gifts for the needy to be distributed, and the Junior Red Cross girls of Belle Glade will pack the baskets. The Salvation Army will be in the lodge room as the location where these gift baskets will be packed, prior to distribution. The gifts will include clothing, toys, candies and fruit.

## Civic Clubs Banquet Golden Rams At The Legion Hall

The big home night for the Belle Glade Rams comes on this Friday night, when the Rotary and Lions clubs will return to them the annual football banquet at the Legion hall at 8 o'clock.

The coaches, teams, manager and sportswriters are to be the guests of honor, and the evening speaker will be W. P. (Billy) Matthews, director of the Student's Union at the University of Florida, at Gainesville. Matthews is a former and knows young people, especially boys, of high school and college ages, and he will try to get some interesting things to relate in his talk.

At the ceremonies the Bill Young Trophy club, will for the second year in succession, be presented to the local high school as custodian for the year. The Rams will have their trophy name engraved on the trophy.

Coaches Cooke and Cochran have arranged so that eligible players will be presented with the trophies. The trophies will be provided by Prof. Matthews' school band, and following the banquet, all will enjoy some good and merriment. The band will be the "Sugarland" band, from Gainesville, who make pretty dance music.

## James Boyes Figures In Bad Auto Accident

A second bad automobile accident on Route 15, near Runyan, December 10, when James Boyes, of West Palm Beach, a cable splicer with the Bell Telephone crew, was the victim. Boyes was coming from Pahokee when the wheel of his car dropped into a low depression in the new road, causing him to lose control, and crash into the pine trees.

Constable Ray Whitlock and Road Patrolman Joe Cook made investigation of the case. They report that Boyes was seriously if not fatally injured, and was removed to the Belle Glade hospital. His car was smashed to junk, parts being found distributed over considerable territory while the man's body lay about 25 feet from the point of contact of car and trees.

## Fire Losses In Belle Glade Low

Assistant Fire Chief Robert Baird, in discussing fire losses in Belle Glade, the past year, states that the general alarm calls have been under heavy volume for a comparatively small. There have been quite a number of silent calls, for which no general alarms were sounded, these were caused by grass fires and investigations of suspicious conditions. During the year the department has made a pretty thorough inspection of all living quarters, which resulted in numerous fire hazards being removed and better protections installed.

Many landlords have placed automatic fire sprinklers in their rooming house, and on several occasions have paid off. The negroes have been given instructions how to operate these sprinklers, and have shown much aptitude in the use of them. Many landlords have saved some bad conflagrations.

The population of the negro district has increased in the record of former years, and this has also had a tendency to cut down the minor fires and their losses.

## Lease Taken On Amoco Station

Announcement is made that H. L. Bailey and J. L. Yoneman of Wauchula, have taken a five year lease on the Darrell Smith property, known as the Amoco service station, including stand alone equipment and restaurant, taking management control on December 15.

Mr. Bailey was a former business man in Belle Glade before the war, being engaged in the used car business. The new owners have been given a permit to establish a taxi cab out of that location.

## Owen Godwin Declines Bid From Death

While out hunting recently, Owen Godwin, shot a duck and was wading out through knee deep water to get the bird, when he stepped into a burned out truck, some eight to ten feet deep. He was clothed in his hunting outfit, carried a lot of heavy shells, and his gun, which he carried under his arm, came near drowning. He lost his escape very lucky. He lost his valuable hunting gun, but hopes to be able to retrieve it.

## Horace Jones Injured In Bad Truck Accident

Horace Jones, of West Palm Beach, was badly injured in a truck accident on Sunday night, last Friday night, and was carried to a hospital in West Palm Beach in a serious condition. The truck was caught in and was pinched up in the truck cab when it crashed into the pine trees. Road patrolman Joe Cook and the patrolman took over the patrol work at the scene of the accident.

## Operated Upon For Cancer

Chief of Police Payne, of South Bay, on Tuesday, was operated upon by Dr. Pipes, at the Belle Glade hospital, for the removal of a cancerous growth from his face.

## Noted Speakers Appear In Behalf Of Crippled Children

Speakers in Circus parlance, the Lions club, Wednesday, had a four ring program, in which the heads of military and public service organizations were to provide the entertainment, which was being presented to them.

"Doctor Bill" Wooten chose happily on his speakers, who were ex-District Governor Robert Brunstetter, now district vice-president of the Fourth District Crippled Children's Association; Mrs. L. B. Corrigan, field director for the same organization; and Mrs. Audrey Lester, director of the Palm Beach County Society and Clinic superintendent, and Col. Robert G. White, assistant adjutant general of the National Guard of Florida.

Col. White spoke briefly in setting out the status of the National Guard, under the new Government set up, which gives this state organization an elevated military standing, and the work that it can and is supposed to do. He cited the relation of the Guard to the Federal Government and what it could do for both state and federal defense. He told of the good that came to local communities where units were stationed, and that about 1,000 in guard money was not the least.

"That the cities would have to provide the housing of the unit but the Government provided on establishment, every needed piece of equipment and means of transportation."

The other speakers told of the work of the National State and District set up of the National Crippled Children's Association, what has been accomplished, what is now going on, and a view into the work of the future. The outline for the work that can be accomplished in the district and Palm Beach county, was hardly unbelievable, along with proffered free assistance, and the speaker, in behalf of Crippled Children, and some Adults. A field of much activity is before us.

All these professional people, here, who they spoke and gave information along their line of work that was impressive.

There will be no club meeting next Wednesday, but the New Year's week meeting will be held.

## Riddle Field Hangar Goes To Gainesville

The White Construction company of St. Petersburg is dismantling the large hangar that stood on Riddle field west of Clewiston, and will remove the pieces and materials to be re-erected on the University of Florida campus for college uses. Riddle field is now a very disjuncted area, and the improvements have all been removed.

## Sugar Control Hearing

The annual hearing of the Department of Agriculture on sugar quota questions, was held at Washington, D. C., on December 16th, to prevent unloading of the surplus sugar, and provisional results will control during 1949. At this time quotas for the continental areas, as yet, disjuncted islands under American control, Cuba and the Hawaiian Islands.

## Busy Police Court

Things were rather uneasy in colored quarters over the past week end, the police picking up some of the offenders for drunkenness, cutting, profanity, fights and whatnot. When Police Magistrate Lloyd held court on Monday night, the fine cases were piled up as fast as do the figures on a merchant's adding machine when needed goods are purchased.

## Schools Close Today

The public schools of Palm Beach County will close for the Holiday period on Friday night, and will resume operations on January 5th. Many of the local schools will spend their vacations at their homes.

## Unearth Arsenal Under Negro's Bed Mattress

Local police were called down to negro town, Sunday night, to take of Jimmy Jones, who was in a drunken and belligerent attitude, armed with a dangerous knife. Searching his room, in turning over his bed mattress, they discovered a sizable arsenal of weapons, two shot guns, a rifle, and several revolvers, all loaded and several other types of weapons. When asked what his intent was with these weapons, Jones said, "I just had them for protection."

## Glades County Ramie Escapes Flood Damage

Orson Bond, agriculture superintendent for the Sea Island Mills, states that the Moore Haven ramie crops, have not suffered as much as did some of the other round the lake plantings, and that a sizeable harvest will be gathered, along with sufficient root harvest to replant many acres of new ramie. With some flood protection to be added, Bond is optimistic that Glades county will be an ideal spot for the growing of big plantings of ramie.

## Adventists Elect New State President

At the recent session of the Florida Conference of the Seventh Day Adventists, in Miami, a new president of the conference was elected in the person of Charles N. Nydinger, of Orlando, who received 10 votes of the conference is located. The Adventists have 50 congregations in Florida, and operate several high type schools and hospitals.

Rev. Evans will leave Orlando and the Florida conference to go to New York city, where he becomes the head of the New York conference; the largest body of that church.

## Rebekahs Have First Anniversary

Belle Rebekah lodge, No. 21, 1007, on Tuesday night, celebrated in the most delightful and interesting manner its first anniversary of its instituting, at the Carpenter's hall. Around sixty members and visiting guests enjoyed the evening festivities.

The organization meeting for 1948 was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wingo at Chosen, in May 1946, and on November 18, seventeen charter members were initiated into the lodge.

The lodge was organized by Mrs. Lillian Senner, then president of the Florida Rebekah Association, still Mrs. Alice Robertson, as its first Noble Grand. W. F. Robertson was the initiator of the lodge.

## New Road Is Declared Unsafe For Travel

County Commissioner Paul Rarden, of Canal Point, brought to the attention of the County Board of Commissioners, the fact of the dangerous condition in which the new road, the Belle Glade-Canal Point highway, was left by the contractors, which are highly unsafe for motor travel, as the shoulders of the road are not elevated, or finished off in a proper manner.

He cited that already there had been two serious accidents, which sent men to the hospital for hospitalization, to say nothing of their wrecked vehicles and that there would likely be more such accidents, unless corrections are made to the roadway.

The Commissioners will make a study of the State Highway Department these conditions and request that immediate steps be made to elevate this condition.

## Old Fellows To Elect Officers

Glades Lodge, L. O. O. F., on the evening of December 11th, made nomination of officers for the coming year, but election will not take place until the meeting of January 12th, as the Christmas day meeting will be cancelled owing to the holiday.



Ross and Mrs. Winnie, chosen by the Merchants Division of the West Palm Beach Chamber of Commerce as the oldest couple in point of continuous residence in the Glades, attended the Kiwanis luncheon in West Palm Beach as a part of the recognition.

During and after a broadcast over the radio, the Winnies were the recipients of many desirable and valuable gifts of the merchants of West Palm Beach.

Coming to the Glades in January of 1912, the land on the western shores of Torrey Island where they landed was home-steaded and is still owned by them.

Five of their children were born in the County, and all seven of the grandchildren were born here and still live in the County.

Ross was at one time Game Warden, Livestock Inspector, Deputy Sheriff and mail carrier, by boat.

High water in '28 forced the Winnies to move from the Island, and again in recent years. The water at present on the land is sufficiently high for Mr. May to have fished on it last week.

## Estimates Place Flood Damage At Eight Million

Figures that have been compiled and released show that the flood losses in Palm Beach county the past five months come to the staggering amount of near \$8,000,000, and this does not include hurricane storm damages, or individual losses.

The breakdown of these losses comes from state and agricultural officials are: Citrus and tropical fruits, \$10,000,000; vegetables and seed, \$2,200,000; sugar cane, \$1,250,000; Ramie, \$390,000; dairy cattle and related losses, \$800,000; brood cattle and related losses, \$207,000; road systems, county, \$237,000; state, \$409,000; drainage district losses, Lake Okechobee sector, \$1,240,000; Lake Worth sector, \$42,000.

The report also points out the fact that the date of the nominal water range will soon be here, with lands still covered with water in many locations, and that as a result still greater losses will be suffered. The 1948, for the most needed relief against repetition has not been provided.

## Braddock Named As Director On Soil Conservation

The Palm Beach County Agricultural Soil Conservation Committee, after elections had been held in West Palm Beach, Palmetto and Belle Glade, Wednesday, organized for the coming year. E. F. Froelich, of West Palm Beach, was elected chairman; A. R. Harrington, of Palmetto, vice chairman; with Roscoe Braddock, of Chosen, as the third member of the board. M. U. Mounts and J. W. Strickland, also serve as officers on the Board. This committee carries on certain functions of the old AAA, which was in force during the war days, and are devoted mostly to soil, pastures, drainage and development work.

## Elks Initiate Sizeable Class Of Candidates

At the session of Belle Glade Lodge, No. 1716, BPOE, Monday night, the trustees gave power to the committee to select the north porch area, to be connected with the present club room, as well as a place to serve the after lodge luncheon.

Seven candidates were given the initiative work on Monday night, the official staff officiating in a very efficient manner. A new class of candidates is in the budding for initiation soon after the New Year.

## City Hall

Bill Scarborough, the painter, has started work on the interior painting of the city hall auditorium, and other improvement work about the structure.

## Xmas Cantata To Be Sunday Night

Sunday evening at 6 o'clock a community Christmas Cantata is being presented at the Methodist Church and is sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club. The entire program will not exceed 45 minutes, and this hour was chosen so as to not interfere with regular church services. Forty local voices will be heard in the choir, with Miss Alma Murphy as director, and Miss Mary Eleanor Kidder at the organ. The Rev. L. E. Enlow will give the invocation preceding the candlelight cantata, and Elder Ben L. Robinson of the Presbyterian Church will give the benediction.

The annual community Christmas tree will be held in the City Park immediately following this program with Santa Claus arriving on the fire truck at 7 o'clock, according to George Seabrook, park commissioner.

Bags of fruit and candy will be distributed to all children, and a supply is also carried to the Belle Glade Hospital for the children there.

## Baptist Xmas Tree To Be Tuesday Night

The annual Christmas program and tree will be held at the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at 8 p. m.

The theme will be "A White Christmas" and gifts will be placed under the tree for the children of the Baptist Orphan's Home in Arcadia.

## Cub Scouts Will Sing Xmas Carols

Twenty-five Cub Scouts under the directorship of Roscoe Braddock will sing Christmas carols on Tuesday night December 23, and will be glad to sing anywhere they are requested to. Please phone locations to 123.

Den mothers Mrs. R. L. Braddock, Mrs. Frank Anderson, Mrs. Sam Berry, Mrs. W. J. Jones, and Mrs. Master Bill Jones, will also accompany the boys.

## Visiting Hours Changed At Local Hospital

Lee O. Dry, Superintendent of the Belle Glade Hospital, has announced a change in visiting hours. "In order to give the nurses more time with their charges and to allow the patient more time with their families, the visiting hours hereafter will be from 2 to 4 p. m., and from 7 to 8 at night," said Mr. Dry.

No other term of the conference placed more than two men on the mythical team, so Belle Glade is equal to some of the larger towns.

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## Board Can Borrow Money

The State Board of Public Trusts, on Tuesday, gave the Palm Beach Board of Trustees authority to make a loan of \$68,140 against capital funds that will be used to make improvements, which includes \$16,000 for the new school annex at Lake Harbor, where Harry Ross, of Belle Glade has been given the contract.

## Father Of Ralph Blank Dies

The many local friends of Ralph Blank, secretary of the RDB, regret to learn of his loss in the death of his aged father George P. Blank, at a West Palm Beach hospital, after a long illness. The deceased came to West Palm Beach from New Jersey four years ago to make his home in that city.

He is survived by a wife and several children, of which Ralph is one. Funeral services were held at the Mitchell-Simon chapel on Wednesday.

## Bean Prices The Past Week Have Been Very Low

Celery At \$4 Per Crate New Bean Crop Ready Soon

Beans did not roll over the rate in as great quantity as last week, although there were some very good bean offerings, as to size and quality, the top price for which did not exceed the \$4 lamper price. Beans coming in now are about the last of the so called fall crop. Spring crop beans will likely be on the market by latter part of next week, but with two holidays coming along, prices are not expected to go up much before the first of the New Year.

While buyers bought in considerable offerings of the better garden beans, many went to canneries to purchase the local farm and packing house operators. Why the condition is the \$64 question.

The cooperative to form a canning plant did not get the response that was expected, because the plan was to use the proposed lease plan, so this deal is practically off for the present, unless later season conditions might change the plan.

The celery season is now on, but not in great volume, and prices for what has been shipped, brought from \$4 up to 50¢ per hamper. Some celery went out by truck, as did many bean purchases.

The miserable farmers' rivals of Sanford, in checking up crop results so far this season, are smiling broadly and satisfactorily over the returns. Owing to the fact that the section had no serious flood water conditions, as did the Everglades producers, they have a good crop of early maturing crops, which have largely benefited by the harvests, piling up near a million dollars in value.

Record shows that over 3000 acres in vegetables, including 1500 to celery, the balance to beans, cabbage and acreage. The American Fruit Growers is erecting a modern packing plant at Sanford, and the Chosen Fruit Growers are adding new additions to its mammoth plant. Both companies do.

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## OBSERVATION and Comment By John M. Gledhill

Less than a week away is Christmas. Have you done your buying, packaging and forwarding? Have you made presents? Will some relative or friend be made joyous over your thoughtfulness of them? We hope you will be remembered in a like manner by your friends.

Lee Puckett, Jr., is the owner of a mighty fine gaited pony, and how he does enjoy getting out in a most afternoons and evenings, and how he does enjoy presenting? Will some relative or friend be made joyous over your thoughtfulness of them? We hope you will be remembered in a like manner by your friends.

City Clerk A. L. Wallis is the custodian of city records. He has two large files containing the active ordinances of the city, and he has a record of 650. Some of the ordinances are those passed way back when the town was but a village, and some are of more recent date, and some are of no valid use and never enforced. Some queer things were legislated away in the town, in those days when Walter Greet, was the town mayor.

Do you remember men, the time when you were not properly dressed, if you did not wear a bow tie, on Sundays or special events. Well, this particular Sunday, the town, is now back and strong, in the many varied colors and cloths of the present day. Some

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# Social Happenings

Willard Jones has arrived from Atlanta where he attends Georgia Military Academy and will spend the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kirkland and son Tommie of Orlando were guests last week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wood, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Sr., are spending the week at Fort Myers Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson and daughter Pat were guests last week-end in Miami.

Mrs. Tom Watson, Jr., and children have returned from Tampa.

Ronnie Rogers, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers of Chosen is receiving medical treatment at the St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gledhill and Mrs. I. Nielsen spent last week-end in St. Cloud at the Gledhill home.

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**GARDEN CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Thursday evening the Garden Club enjoyed their annual Christmas party at the Club house. Mrs. Ralph Freeman was in charge of the program and read several interesting Christmas stories.

Refreshments were served on a table beautifully decorated with poinsettia, Florida holly and red candles, and hostesses serving were Mrs. George Taylor and Mrs. Harold Riedel.

Each member wrote a note to Mrs. J. O. Jameson, past president, who is now residing in Miami and they will be mailed to her by the secretary.

Following a gift exchange around a lighted tree, a contest was conducted on poinsettias. First prize was won by Mrs. Charles Beck for a potted double flower, and second

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to Mrs. Ivan VanHorn for a centerpiece arrangement of cut flowers and red candles.

Mrs. H. S. Emery presented each member with a dahlia plant that she raised from seed.

Guests attending were Mrs. W. C. Gamble, Mrs. C. W. Ogles, Mrs. Roy Shontz, Mrs. R. H. Dear, and Jeanette Waddell.

Other members present were Mrs. Fred Ogles, Mrs. Harry Peters, Mrs. Q. D. Waddell, Mrs. Lonnie Warren, Mrs. J. F. Browne, Mrs. H. D. Beck, Mrs. D. C. DeHaven, Mrs. M. W. Giese, Mrs. W. R. Hooker, Mrs. F. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Luther Jette, Mrs. C. W. McDonald, Mrs. J. E. Hollingsworth, and Mrs. A. R. Whidden.

**MISS HARRIS SPEAKS BEFORE WSCS CIRCLE**

"Spiritual work began in Florida at Belle Glade nine years ago with the Reverend Jay O. Jameson, at the first local chairman," stated Miss Margaret J. Harris, Florida superintendent of ministry to migrants for the home missions council, when she spoke before the Woman's Society of Christian Service Wednesday afternoon.

"Broward, Dade and Palm Beach Counties have the greatest number of migrants in the state and they remain for a long season, so these conditions make them a perfect for practical and spiritual help from the staff who travel with them to help themselves and each other," said Miss Harris in her address.

The theme of the program was "Christmas Love" and was led by Mrs. John Gledhill, and the singing of Christmas carols was enjoyed by Mrs. R. S. Emery at the piano.

Mrs. George Taylor reported that a 22 pound package of food and other articles had been shipped to the adopted minister in Europe, and District Secretary Mrs. C. A. Bailey gave a report of the meeting recently held in Miami.

A resignation from the office of secretary of supplies was accepted from Mrs. Virginia Riedel and Mrs. Ivan VanHorn was elected to fill this vacancy.

Plans were discussed to organize a Wesleyan Guild and a decision was made to meet the December 24th circle meeting.

Twenty-two were present, and Mrs. Mary Pope was welcomed as a new member.

**SOUTH BAY BOY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY**

Mrs. James Cook honored her nephew, Jeffrey Wade with a birthday party at her home Friday afternoon. The hosts were assisted by Mrs. Wesley Wright, daughter of Mrs. Cook.

The guest list included Jimmie Lou Summerlin, Ronny Bowers, Robert Woodman, Rick Herring, Sandra Cooper and Lynn Levy.

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**T. E. L. CLASS ENTERTAINED AT WILLIAMS HOME**

Monday evening the T. E. L. class of the First Baptist Church gathered at the home of Mrs. Geo. Williams for its usual Christmas party. Mrs. Williams was assisted by hostesses Mrs. Hayden Williams, Mrs. W. W. Weeks and Mrs. Bea Fleming.

The dining table was beautifully decorated with a Christmas tree with poinsettias arranged around the edge of the table. Under the tree each member placed a gift as they arrived and later in the evening numbers were drawn for the exchange of gifts.

The living room was decorated with miniature trees and snow. Christmas tree lights were attractively arranged across the fireplace screen.

Mrs. Grady Edwards, president of the class, presided over a short business meeting at which time it was decided to send two decorated Christmas trees to the local Hospital and candy and fruit are to be distributed to the sick in Belle Glade. An offering for the Little Moon fund was collected.

Mrs. H. O. Edwards presented the devotional on "The Unveiled Christ".

The fun period was conducted by Mrs. Francis Harris and Mrs. L. P. Parson. Mrs. Parson accompanying at the piano, lead the class in a group singing of Christmas carols.

The class presented Mrs. Earwood with a gift and she in return gave the class a painting to hang in the Sunday school room.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses to the members.

**BAPTIST LADIES HAVE CHRISTMAS MEETING**

The Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss for their Christmas meeting.

Mrs. Vernon Jones presided over the business session, during which the following were reported:

Twelfth Grade—Honor Roll with Honors: Anne Kirchman, Grace Eggleston, Helen Friedheim, Mary Eleanor Kidder, Mary Williams, L. Breger, Jimmie Ball and Claude Judas.

Honor Roll: Odelle Henderson, Doris Riddell, Katherine Young, Emogene Greenwood, Robert Stacy, Franklin Stallings.

Honorable Mention: Nancy Crossen, Darlene Mobley, Hubert Swain.

Fifteenth Grade—Honor With Honors: Minnie Ellen Cales.

Honor Roll: Dorothy Buckles, Carolyn Cato, Geraldine Dras, Dorothy Breckin, Judson Lloyd, James Layfield, Elnita Scott, Barbara Hayman, Betty Lou Powell.

Honorable Mention: Rosalyn Farmer, Shirley Campbell, Aubrey Walker, Jerry Cone, Josephine Livingston, and James Davis.

Tenth Grade—Honor Roll:

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Johny Lowery, Mary Elizabeth Pope, Nancy Cato, Nola Fralick, Dorine Mathewson, and George Murphy.

Honorable Mention: Jacquelyn Berry, Teddy Pope, Christine Gandy, and Howard Hill.

Ninth Grade—Honor Roll: Patricia Chambliss, Khalah Anderson, and Frederick Stevens.

Honorable Mention: Ross Winne, Clara Stein, Lucretia Campbell, Wayne Ketrang, and Gloria Crosby.

Eighth Grade—Honor With Honors: Jerry Burry.

Honor Roll: Joanne Teider, Catherine Friedheim, John Godwin, Mack Lynn, and Bobby Hooker.

Honorable Mention: Bonnie Williams.

Seventh Grade—Honor With Honors: Wanda Mackay, and Joan Robin.

Honor Roll: Nancy Ball, Kay Feath, Fredricka, Betty Ann Mae Humphries, Pat Ingram, Elaine Mackel, Beverly Phelan, Barbara Wedgwood, Doris A. Strickland, Ann Markham, Carolyn Earwood, and Maynard Wright.

Honorable Mention: Jessie Weaver, Elven Stevens, Bobby Wright, Joe Coleman, Bobby Kent, and H. V. Draa, Jr.

**Lions Postpone Minstrels Until In January**

Prof. Frank O. Holson, reporting to the Lions club on the Pahlke-Belle Glade football game at Memorial on figures and finances, stated that there were 3,504 paid gate admissions, of which 1911 were children and 1493 adults, which with certain free admissions to participating groups, made possible a \$700 total attendance. The total receipts amounted to \$216.00.

Owing to numerous attractions booked and the fact that the benefit minstrel had not been perfected, the benefit show announced for Dec. 12, has been postponed until a later date in January. The club will hold its regular meeting on December 17th, but the meeting of December 24, will be omitted.

The month of January is to be observed as International Lionism as a membership recruiting occasion, in honor of the birthday of Melvin Jones, General Secretary, and also the founder of the Lion club in Chicago. The local club will join in this activity.

**FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Scarborough block, single or double. Inquire George Scarborough at his Department store. 12-9-47**

**FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle, 24 inch good tires and in good condition except needs painting. \$20.00. R. L. Bradlock. 12-19-47**

**FOR SALE—Second hand sewing machine and 75 lb. ice box. Phone 94-W. Mrs. Peter Muller. 12-19-47**

**FOR SALE—All metal ice box, 50 lb. capacity. \$25. Phone 222. 12-12-47**

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**FOR SALE—K-5 International Truck in good condition. Low mileage. Can be seen south side State Market, Pahlke. Call Jess Elliott, Pahlke 474. 12-12-47**

**FOR RENT—One bedroom with two single beds, and two bedrooms with single bed each. Gentlemen preferred. Walter Greer, N. E. 2nd St. 12-12-47**

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**FOR SALE—House trailers, \$75,000.00 stock of new and reconditioned trailers, small down payment, balance payable like rent. Full line of accessories for your trailers. Arthur Trail Sales, U. S. Hwy. No. 1, Riverview, Fla. Phone West Palm Beach 6274. 8-22-47**

**FOR SALE—1 Ford Tractor and 1 Russian Jeep 1-12 ton truck. L. B. Cook, phone 81-J. 12-5-47**

**FOR SALE—6 foot Kelvina-Tor, in good condition. See Mrs. Pafford after six at apartment over P & L Store. 12-19-47**

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### BEAN PRICES

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business in the Everglades area.

Heavy fogs are accredited with the stoniness with which Florida celery has matured. Damage to crop is nominal as a result of the fogs.

With restrictions off on sugar, cranberry growers of the New England states, Wisconsin and Minnesota, report that the demand for cranberries has reached the pre-war peak. This year's crop of the sour berries is large and bringing good prices.

It. Pierce is the tomato capital for Florida's winter crop as other area crops are not near up to customary production yields. Up to December 6th, more than 40,000 bushels of green and "pink" had been sold at the state market at Ft. Pierce, averaging \$6.69 for the "greens". The fall deal is expected to meet its peak around December 20th. Holiday goods demand has been most satisfactory. Planned plantings coming on in rotation will provide tomatoes during the entire

growing season, and will mean much more income for the growers and packers.

Carloading—Week ending December 17, 1947.

	North End	South End
Beans	23 116	91 328
Celery	2	2 16 16
Escarole	0	0 3 7
Mix Veg.	5 7	9 15
Radishes	0	0 2 8
Collards	0	0 0 1
Squash	1	1 0 0
Total	36 126	121 378

### REBEKAHS HAVE

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and as the feeding was in progress, a fine social hour was enjoyed.

Guests from out of town attending the anniversary party were: Past Grand Master and Lady Dawson, Deputy District President, Mrs. Margaret Speer, District Deputy Grand Master and Mrs. V. P. Otto, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Messer, Mrs. Magie Crawford, Mrs. Ella Messer, Mrs. Harold Crawford, of Gardena and Golden Links lodges. Mrs. Speer announced that

she would be present with her staff of installing officers for installation ceremonies on the evening of January 6th.

### Woman's Club Hears First Baptist Trio

As a feature of the entertainment program at the Woman's Club meeting Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. C. A. Moberg of Palokoe introduced the First Baptist Trio, Mrs. Moberg, Mrs. Ralph Bryan and Mrs. Thurmond Knight who sang "Night Came On," "Thy Will Oh God Is Sweet To Me," "Room In The Manger," and "Christmas Carol Medley."

They were accompanied by Rev. Moberg on the piano who also gave his version of "White Christmas".

Mrs. C. Raymond Durkee of West Palm Beach, district ten chairman, gave a report on the General Federation of Women's Club Convention held in New York City last June.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. J. I. Freedlund, and Mrs. I. E. Enlow led the Bible study.

Mrs. L. P. Parson and Mrs. E. D. Humphries were welcomed as new members. Refreshments were served by hostesses Mrs. R. L. Braddock, Mrs. W. C. Bamford, Mrs. G. R. Townsend, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, and Mrs. J. A. Murphy.

### Wilkinson Entertains Friendship Class

The Friendship class of the First Baptist Church had its regular monthly meeting Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilkinson.

A business session was conducted and plans discussed for boosting better attendance. The devotional was given by Mrs. H. O. Earwood who illustrated walking in truth, love and light.

Games were enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostesses. Others attending were Mrs. Frank Rashley, Mrs. Gregory, Mrs. Norman Hayship, and Mr. and Mrs. Nash Lloyd.

### John Michael Returns Home

John Michael, former well known restaurant operator, has returned to Belle Glade, after spending the past six months, traveling by motor car in the northern states. He visited in New York, Massachusetts, Ohio, and Michigan. For several months he operated a concession at Rockaway Beach on Long Island, where the masses of metropolitan New York and Brooklyn came by the hundreds of thousands, for the recreation and beach bathing. John he saw some fine forms and sights there.

### City Directories Available Next Week

The Belle Glade Herald is delivering to the Chamber of Commerce its new directory. This much needed book will fill a want that has been much needed for the past few years. Copies will be available at the Chamber's office and will sell for \$1.00.

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Shaving Brushes	1.00 to 25.00
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Medico Cig. Holders	1.00 to 2.00
Royal Demuth Pipes	3.50 to 10.00
Zippo Lighters	2.50 to 10.00
Amity Tobacco Pouch	2.00 to 5.00

### PERFUMES

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Emeraude-Paris	
L'Origan	\$1.00 to \$ 5.50
CORDAYS—Toujours Moi	
Jet-Possession	3.50 to 10.00
LENTHERIC—Tweed	
Miracle-Shanghai	1.75 to 12.50
YARDLEY—Lavender	
Bond Street	
Fragrance	2.00 to 4.50
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Paris-Mois Oui	.75 to 6.75
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Scandal	9.50 to 17.00

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erazy quilt appearance, but rather nifty at that.

Well our sister city of Pahokee has something that Belle Glade does not possess, if the Chosen office is omitted, and that is a sub-station post office which is located in the Snyder grocery store south of the Hall pecking house, with Mr. Snyder as the postal manager. This office is only one for mailing and delivery of mail matter, and sale of stamps and postcards, but it does give service to several hundred patrons located in that locality including the migratory camps.

The little village of Florida City, south of Homestead, was made the seat for the first distribution of the special Everglades park stamp. Postal authorities state that more than 600,000 first day cancellations of stamps were made at that office on Dec. 5. It was the mecca for stamp collector fans on the opening day. The postal Department makes much money for its treasury by the issuing of these special stamps and albums of special stamps previously issued for other important events.

Made a visit to Tom Watson's radio station office, and secured education as to means and methods of operating such a broadcasting station. Saw on Tom's desk, several boxes of stamps issued from fans mostly of a complimentary nature, for the service the station is providing.

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tion is providing, from people as far away as Cocoa, Key West, Orlando, Tampa and Ft. Myers, who claim to get the programs in unusual clear reception. This station is becoming quite popular with out of town radio fans. A salesman wrote in that the Belle Glade station is the only one on the east coast that you can tune in from Cocoa to Key West and get clear reception in auto radio instruments. This radio service is bringing the Glades much valuable publicity.

One of the big latches which cause delay arriving at a contract for the importing is land field workers, was because the Florida Vegetable Commission, who sponsors the importation of these laborers, wanted the contract to read that the immigrant should pay his own fare back home stamps. It ended in the FVC agreeing to pay these expenses.

You may not know it, but record shows that Pennsylvania is the leading state of the following customer goods: Steam and freight cars, steel, machinery, iron, good linoleum, cement, glass, ice cream, cigars, chocolate, electrical goods of all kinds.

Seated on the porch of the Fear's hotel, met up with a genial Canadian business man, who was making a tour of the Everglades on an investigating mission. He remarked, "We Canadian people sure do like your Florida vegetables and citrus, and we are missing it greatly, since the Canadian government put on a ban against its importation. We are ready and willing to buy it, but Canadians do not have enough of either Canadian or U. S. Dollars to buy it at the prices, hence the playing of the ban, in an effort to stabilize the Canadian currency." "Canada has untold mineral wealth but the development of these sources of rich income is coming along slowly, because of the lack of capital for development. Our wheat farmers and cattle men are the only natives who are setting in fairly good in the post war period of that domination."

The members of the Golden Ram football team, think the townspeople were pretty fine toward them in extending them a warm welcome by Billy Crider and the combined Rotary-Lions clubs. When the Bill Young trophy club was presented at the club banquet, Principal Holston stated that he had monies on hand to provide a display case for the cup, when it comes into the Ram's permanent possession, which fact is it hoped may materialize after the 1948 contest between the Blue Devils and Golden Rams. The coaches and team came in for much laudatory praise from speakers for the fine record of 1947.

One coming into Belle Glade after a three to five year absence, could not help but notice the great improvement which has taken place in Avenue A between Main and Fourth streets. New business structures, new stores, in fact almost new business center to the west end of the Avenue. At the present we seem to have struck a halt in expansion and building, but when materials and labor situations get cleared up, then look for another spurt of building.

The over the canal section of the city, is becoming a church scene, as there will be located the Baptist, Church of Christ and the new Everglades Presbyterian structure. Blessed is the town which possesses good schools and churches, which have been the bulwark and strength of our national progress and life.

Looks very much like Belle Glade will soon have that new State Farmer Pavilion at the Experiment station. This certainly will be a popular rendezvous for the holding of public agricultural group meetings, a place of meeting for the Crop and Cattle field days, and other special gatherings.

See where Mr. Levens, owner and operator of the Savoy club, just outside Pahokee, has erected him a fine cement block business building, which will be used for store and lodging house purposes. He has also remodelled his Savoy club building into an attractive night club, the dining room being very beautifully and comfortably arranged.

With the puff of the engines, the tooting of the whistles and the ringing of the bells, the sight over in the Parking houses is provided with melody of various nature. This also indicates that industry is busy in these yards getting out Glades raised produce for the northern markets.

Glades football fans are already whetting up their interest at Burdine Stadium football game on New Year's day. The ticket obtaining is what is bothering many here that would attend if these pastebord admittance cards could be obtained. Georgia Tech from Atlanta, and Kansas State from the Sunflower state, will be the contesting teams, and a real game is in the offing.

The public announcement in the Belle Glade Herald, that the City Commission planned to change the city entertainment ordinance, so as to make it practically impossible for carnivals to exhibit here more than once in two years, brought favorable reaction from citizens and business men, who believe that these "fly by night, grab it all, legally or illegally, do not care the moral status of the town any good, and takes good money out of town that should be placed in business and living channels. Considerable petty thievery was reported in the way of articles stolen from cars, parts from trucks, framing machinery and clothes from clothes lines. Business practically paralyzed.

Billy Crider told the Golden Rams that he was going to feed them and generously kept his promise, and admitted that he took great pleasure with the gusto manner in which they got away with that prime food. How those piles of bread disappeared like magic!

With the banks closed on Saturday, those people engaged in the produce field, find themselves sort of handicapped in keeping funds enough on hand to meet payrolls and "picking" pay off. Burglary insurance agents as a result of this condition, have written many policies for protection against the loss of funds by burglary.



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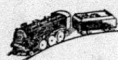


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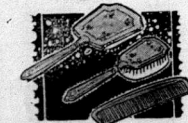
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Mrs. H. B. Walker reports some 40 Mormons in attendance at the District Conference conducted on Sunday at the American Legion Hall in Belle Glade and an interesting program.

The morning program opened at 11:00 o'clock and was in charge of Elder Dale Rindlsbacher. Prayer by Julius Herring followed the opening song, "Spirit of God".

The group assembled then sustained the national and southern division election of church officials: George Albert Smith, as Prophet; his counselors, The Council of Twelve, and Heber D. Meeks as President of the Southern Division.

Elder Charles Slade spoke on "Prayer". Elder Neal McCar-

thy took for his subject, "Prayer."

A violin solo, "Meditation" was presented by Miss Connie Oberon. She was accompanied on the piano by Elder McCarthy.

Miss Worlton spoke on "Free Agency" and Elder Ernstrom on "Apostasy". The morning session closed with the singing of "Redeemer of Israel" and a prayer by Sister Jean Sanders.

A basket lunch was served during the noon intermission. The afternoon session opened at 2:00 p. m., Elder Charles Slade presiding. The opening song was, "Come, Come Ye Saints" followed by a prayer by Elder Ernstrom.

Elder Rindlsbacher spoke on "Authority". Miss Oberon played "Melody in F" on the violin accompanied by Elder McCarthy.

Miss Lawrence, a lay missionary, talked on "Philosophy". The chief speaker of the afternoon was Dean Muir who took as his subject, "Satan, Our Enemy."

"What Is Right" was the closing song and the closing prayer was made by Mrs. Lucille Walker.

### Richard Bartlett Has Birthday Party

A birthday party was given Friday, December 12 for Richard Barrett, 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barrett at their home in Bean City. Children attending were Jerry Wayne Perkins, Dennis Wayne Partain, Joyce Partain, Laura June Rogers, Billy Connelly of Lake Harbor, Sue and Billy Miller of South Bay, Martha Faye Davidson of Belle Glade, Allen and Ladon Reynolds, Sharon Prevatt, Francis Hall, Payton and Clayton Smith, Gerald Marlowe, Larry, Charles and Pat Roberts, Cecil Ray Harrell of Bean City.

Mothers and adults attending were Mrs. B. A. Oswald and Mrs. Marvin Miller of South Bay, Mrs. Neil Perkins, Mrs. Nalls Raymond Hall, Mrs. D. R. Roberts.

Cake and ice-cream were served to all present by the hostess.

### Attend Coaches Banquet

Coaches Cooke and Cochran of the Golden Ram staff, on Friday night, were in Vero Beach, where they attended a conference and later a banquet

extended to the coaches, sports-writers and other guests of the Gulf Stream Athletic Council. Matters pertaining to the past football season, as well as the on coming basketball and Baseball seasons were under discussion. A number of the coaches went on to Gainesville, where the State Athletic Association was in a conference session.

### Better Safety Measures About Farm Urged

Expressing the need for safety precautions among farmers, C. D. Hartman, Accident Prevention Chairman of the Palm Beach County American Red Cross disclosed today that farm accidents each year in the United States claim more than 4,300 lives, result in 800,000 injuries and cause more than \$150,000,000 damage.

Mr. Hartman, urging care on the farm had these words of advice for farmers:

"Sharpen your eyes and wits to discover all possible hazards on your farm and remove them immediately. Tomorrow may be too late. Get in the habit of doing things the safe way, and see that every member of your household and every worker on your farm learns safety habits."

"Keep a first aid kit or cabinet handy, keep it well supplied, and know how to use it. Enroll in a Red Cross first-aid course. Get in touch with your Red Cross chapter on dates for

first-aid courses. Keep fire fighting equipment handy, keep it in good working order, and know how to use it."

Most accidents... primarily mechanical or personal... result from such causes as unguarded machinery, defective and worn rope, tools, and other equipment, holes in platforms and floorings, ignorance, ignorance, "horseplay."

### Nation Wide Fishing Contest Will Be Staged In 1948

Jack Royals, of the Local Western Auto Supply store, states that this National organization is again staging its national fishing contest, in 35 states where it has store representation. This contest is annually staged to create more interest in outdoor sports, such as fishing and hunting. Five prizes will be awarded in each of the contesting states. The date of the opening contest will be announced later, as well as the period through which registrations may be entered.

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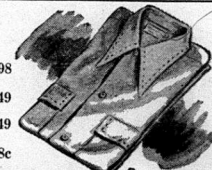
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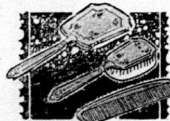
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Lucite Comb & Brush Sets 5.00 up  
Hughes All Round Brushes 2.00 to 5.00  
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Schick Injector Razor 1.25  
Gillette Super Speed (one piece) Razor 1.00  
Gillette One Piece Razor 2.50  
Gem Razor .39 to 1.95  
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Military Brush Sets 6.50



Hughes Mini-Kits 4.00  
Coty Compacts 2.50  
Evening In Paris Compacts 3.15 to 7.10  
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### TB Facts And Figures

**The Disease**  
Estimates, based on careful  
studies, place the number of  
active cases of tuberculosis in  
this country at 500,000. This  
estimate is based on results of  
mass X-ray surveys which have  
shown that half of one per cent  
of the adult population has tu-  
berculosis in an active stage and  
on studies revealing that there  
are nine active cases of tuber-  
culosis for every death from the  
disease. Only half of the 500,  
000 cases are known to health  
authorities. The other 250,000  
are "unknown cases." These  
cases must be found and placed  
under treatment before tuber-  
culosis can be eradicated.

Principal means used to find  
tuberculosis is the X-ray. With  
the aid of X-ray films, tuber-  
culosis can be diagnosed be-  
fore its symptoms are apparent.  
Mass X-ray services to find un-  
known cases of TB are being  
sponsored in many sections of  
the country by tuberculosis  
associations in cooperation with  
official health agencies.

Tuberculosis is a communica-  
ble disease, spread by persons  
with active tuberculosis to  
others, and is, therefore, a public  
health threat.

Tubercle bacilli, the germs  
which cause TB, are spread  
through coughing, sneezing,  
spitting, kissing and handling  
infected objects.

Early TB usually has no  
symptoms of any kind. The  
insidious onset of the disease in  
apparently healthy people is  
one reason why tuberculosis is  
difficult to cure and to control.  
During this period the victim,  
unaware he has the disease, is  
losing ground and may be  
spreading the germs to others.  
The first symptoms usually  
are unexplained tiredness, loss  
of appetite, loss of weight, pain  
in the chest and slight rise in  
afternoon temperature.

As the disease progresses, the  
early symptoms become more  
pronounced and, in addition,  
digestion, a cough, with or  
without expectoration, hoarse-  
ness and blood spitting may  
occur. By the time the symp-  
toms become noticeable to the  
victim, TB is usually well un-

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der way.  
Because of the symptomless  
onset, the search for the early  
case of TB must be made among  
apparently healthy people.  
Routine chest X-raying of the  
10,000,000 annual general hos-  
pital admissions is being pro-  
moted by the American Hospital  
Association, U. S. Public Ser-  
vice and the National Tubercu-  
losis Association. This proce-  
dure, it is believed, will lead to  
the discovery of many unsus-  
pected cases of tuberculosis.

**Deaths from Tuberculosis**  
Since 1904, the year the Na-  
tional Tuberculosis Association  
was organized, the TB death  
rate has fallen almost 80 per-  
cent. Yet tuberculosis still  
kills 53,000 Americans a year,  
at the rate of 145 persons a  
day, one person every 10  
minutes.

Tuberculosis has caused the  
deaths of 4,500,000 persons since  
1904. However, if the tuber-  
culosis death rate in 1904 had  
continued to prevail, 4,000,000  
more people would have died of  
TB than actually did.

One out of every 25 deaths in  
this country is caused by tuber-  
culosis. One out of every 12  
deaths among Negroes is due  
to TB.

Tuberculosis is the seventh  
cause of death among the popu-  
lation as a whole, the fourth  
cause of death among Negroes.

In the age group from 15 to  
44, tuberculosis is the first  
disease cause of death and is ex-  
ceeded only by accidents in tak-  
ing the lives of young adults.  
The tuberculosis toll is seven  
times as high among unskilled  
workers as professional people,  
three times as high among skilled  
workers as among professional  
people.

Approximately 2,000 children  
under 15 years of age die of  
tuberculosis each year.

Nearly twice as many men as  
women die of tuberculosis.

Tuberculosis cost the lives of  
two persons for every three  
Americans killed in combat in  
World War II.

**Veterans**  
As of March 31, 1947, the  
Veterans Administration had 12,  
147 veterans under treatment for  
tuberculosis. Of this number,  
9,621 were in VA hospitals and  
the remainder in civilian hos-  
pitals.

While no estimate has been  
made of the cost of caring for  
tuberculosis veterans of World  
War II, approximately one bil-  
lion dollars has been spent by  
the United States government  
in the care of tuberculous vet-  
erans of World War I. This  
cost includes hospitalization, vo-  
cational training, compensa-  
tion and insurance.

Evidence of tuberculosis caused  
the rejection of 150,000 candi-  
dates for the armed forces in  
World War II.

**Seal Sale**  
The first Christmas Seal Sale  
in the United States was con-  
ducted 40 years ago. The sale  
in 1907 was promoted by Miss  
Emily P. Bissell of Wilmington,  
Del., and was confined to the  
Wilmington area. Miss Bissell  
adopted an idea originated by  
Einar Holboell, a Danish post-  
al clerk, who had conducted a  
Seal Sale in Denmark in 1904.  
In 1908, Christmas Seals were  
sold nationally in this country.  
The sale has been nation-wide  
ever since.

Christmas Seal funds have  
been used to support tuber-  
culosis control work throughout  
the 40-year history of Seal sales  
of the United States. This year  
3,000 associations affiliated with  
the National Tuberculosis As-  
sociations are conducting Chris-  
tmas Seal Sales to support state  
and local tuberculosis control  
and prevention work.

From 1904 through 1946,  
Christmas Seal Sales have to-  
taled \$182,500,000. Each year  
95 per cent of the money raised  
in the Seal Sale is spent within  
the state where it is contributed  
for work on a local or state  
level. The remaining five per-  
cent is forwarded to the Na-  
tional Tuberculosis Association  
to support services on a national  
scale and medical research.

Christmas Seal funds are  
used for the case-finding, health  
education, rehabilitation, medi-  
cal research and services on a  
national and international basis.  
The work of voluntary  
tuberculosis associations is dis-  
tributed at preventive measures.  
Government, through official  
agencies, assumes responsibility  
for the care of the tuberculous.

If the largest sum ever raised  
in the nation as a whole through  
the Seal Sale—\$17,000,000 in  
1946—were used exclusively  
for the care of the tuberculous,  
it would provide approximately  
one week's hospital care for  
each of the estimated 500,000  
cases of tuberculosis in this  
country. The average length of  
a tuberculous patient's stay in a  
hospital is six months.

The "U. S. A." omitted from the  
design. Bermuda is using a  
similar design.  
**Life Expectancy**  
A child born in 1907 had a  
life expectancy of 49 years.  
Since then, life expectancy has  
increased to 65 years, but the  
median age at which TB kills  
is 43. In 1944, 1,172,500 poten-  
tial years of life were lost by  
people who died of tuberculosis.  
**Man-Days Lost**  
A total of 20 million man-  
days a year are lost by patients  
in tuberculosis hospitals and  
sanatoriums. Patients in tuber-  
culosis divisions of general hos-  
pitals lose several million more  
man-days a year. These man-  
days, with those of hospital  
personnel, total more than 40  
million man-days lost because  
of tuberculosis.

### Christmas Seal Sale

The annual Tuberculosis Seal  
Sale is in full progress at South  
Bay under the able leadership  
of Mrs. W. C. Allen.

Mrs. Allen has set up a booth  
in the post office and receives  
excellent sales. She is being  
assisted for an hour each day  
by two Junior High School girls,  
Peggy Keller and Betty June  
Hall. Mrs. H. B. Walker will  
have charge of the booth on  
Wednesday.

Approximately \$18.00 has  
been taken in up to the first of  
the week.

### Baptist Revival Closes

The eight day revival services  
at the South Bay Baptist  
Church came to a close Sunday  
after a very successful series of  
meetings. The Rev. B. A. Os-  
wald conducted the services as  
revivalist speaker. He was  
assisted by W. L. Cunningham  
of Belle Glade as song leader  
and Mrs. J. W. Rashley, organ-  
ist. The Rashley Jewelry Store  
loaned an electric organ which  
was used throughout the revival.

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and 7 assessments to the church  
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ance of 132 at Sunday School  
the closing Sunday morning is  
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da, for each set of documents. The full  
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Corrections in an amount at least equal  
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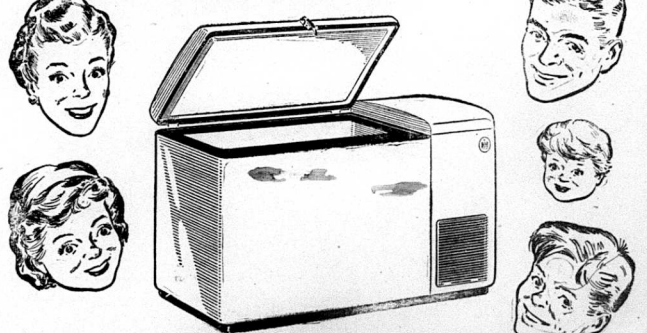
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## SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gist arrived Friday to spend the holidays with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton.

Mrs. Mary McCarron has as week end house guests her brother, Marion Shelby of Trenton, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Willis and children, Barbara Jean and Johnny, spent Wednesday night in Miami Springs as the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Shaw are leaving this week to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives at Cross City.

Richard Byrd left the first of the week for Deerfield where he has secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Donaldson returned from a two months

tour Friday. They visited in Washington, D. C., Pennsylvania, Chicago, Tacoma, Washington and Los Angeles, California. They report snow in California during their visit there.

Mickey Challancin, who has been ill at the St. Mary's Hospital, returned home Sunday convalescent and responding nicely to the treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Dicker Martin moved back to their home in Okeelanta the first of the week. They have been living in South Bay since the storm in September flooded their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Daughter of West Palm Beach were the week end house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilder and family.

Mrs. Harold Hardy and son have returned to their home in Miami.

James Carey Wall, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wall, was taken to the Belle Glade Hospital Sunday suffering from pneumonia, and is responding nicely to the treatment.

Anthony Andrew Fischer is leaving the last of the week to spend the holidays in St. Louis with his sister, Miss Angela Fischer.

Mrs. Lillian Scarborough and infant son, Charles Ronnie, have returned home from the Cleveland Hospital.

Mrs. Forrest Norton and son, Forrest Jr. of Orlando spent the day here recently visiting her brothers and their families and looking after business matters.

Mrs. Bob Roberts, children Norman Michael and Sharon Gail, and father, Shanks Moffatt of St. Lucie, British West Indies arrived recently to spend the winter with her husband who operates a air plane crop dusting business with South Bay as his headquarters. Mr. Moffatt has leased the L. L. Hardy home for the winter.

Mrs. James G. Hightower and son, Terry, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hightower for some time left to join her husband in Chicago recently.

Mrs. Betty Lockmiller is visiting a friend at Holopaw for a couple of days this week.

Paul Matti and Benjamin Pagan of Ponce, Puerto Rico, both graduates of the University of Puerto Rico arrived last week and are employed at the Okeelanta Sugar House as chemist and engineer.

Bill Allen of Fort Lauderdale spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen, and sister, Jane.

S. R. Findley has returned and is recuperating at his home, and is recuperating at his home.

Mrs. Terrell Lee left the Belle Glade Hospital Tuesday spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Curl, before returning to her home in Lake Harbor.

Chief Ship Fitter and Mrs. James V. Allen have been transferred from Orange, Texas to Green Cove Springs.

Ralph Station of Lake Harbor was quite ill last week but is reported some what improved.

## South Bay Negro Theater Badly Damaged By Fire

South Bay Negro  
A fire which broke out in the projection room at the South Bay Negro Theatre Saturday night caused the owners, Bailey Brothers, an estimated \$3000.00 loss in equipment and damage to the building and fixtures.  
Mr. Bailey stated that the fire was caused by a broken film which set fire to the

mechanism. The immediate use of hand fire extinguishers by the operator failed to bring the fire under control. Both the South Bay and Belle Glade Fire Departments responded to a call and brought the blaze under control within 30 minutes, Bailey stated.

The projection room and equipment is practically a total loss, they estimate. The ceiling is damaged, also interior decorations and 18 seats were burned.

The fire broke out about 10:00 p. m., as the second show was drawing to a close. Approximately 75 persons were in the audience, none of whom were injured.

The building was just and operation. It was practically ready for occupancy at the time of the September hurricane. The stage was severely damaged in the storm and repairs had to be completed before the theatre could be opened.

## Lee Child Dies

Gravestone services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Lee were conducted at the Port Mayaca Cemetery, Sunday afternoon, in the presence of relatives and close friends of the bereaved parents. Besides the parents survivors are two little sisters, Laura and Tyra, and grandparent, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Lee of Lake Harbor, and Mrs. A. F. Curl of Belle Glade.

The child was born on December 11 and died a few hours later. The Berry Funeral Home in Pahokee were in charge. Services were at 2:30 p. m.

## South Bay Christmas Party

The South Bay Schools will close for the holidays on Friday, December 19 with the annual Christmas entertainment for the school and community. The program is being arranged by the various home rooms in the school, each grade to have their part on the program. The Parent Teachers Association with donations by the community is preparing a treat for every child in the school and community.



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